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In re Patent Application of)	
Jean-Marc FRANCES et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1711
Application No.: 10/009,605)	Examiner: Susan W. Berman
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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING A)	
SEALED RELEASE COATING)	
APPLIED ON A CYLINDER HEAD)	
GASKET USING A SILICONE)	
MATERIAL)	

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed August 18, 2004, please amend the
above-identified patent application as follows: